

**City of Santa Clara
LIBRARY DEPARTMENT
FACT SHEET – FY 2005/06**

Santa Clara Central Library
2635 Homestead Road
Santa Clara, CA 95051

(408) 615-2900

Mission Branch Library
1098 Lexington Street
Santa Clara, CA 95050

(408) 615-2964

Northside Branch Library
3985 Rivermark Parkway
Santa Clara, CA 95054

(future branch)

Library website:

<http://www.library.ci.santa-clara.ca.us>

Form of Government

Council-City Manager

No. of Employees

Santa Clara Central Library

Full Time 46

Part Time 86

Mission Branch Library

Full Time 3.5

Part Time 4

Operating Budget (2005-06)

\$6,551,002

Fast Facts (average per month):

No. of Items Borrowed..... 230,000

Patron Visits 114,600

Patron Computer Use..... 61,900

No. of Reference Inquiries..... 13,900

Program Attendance 5,500

Collections Items Added..... 3,900

Holds Placed 6,100

Holds Filled 4,600

Volunteer Hours 1,700

Library Services and Resources

- Fully staffed Youth Services and Reference Desks
- Self-check out of Library materials
- Link+
- 100 public computers
- Tables wired for Internet access

Library Services and Resources (continued)

- Technology Center
- 1 Freedom machine
- 1 enhanced accessibility workstation
- Reading Edge machine which offers text to speech conversion
- Kaiser Permanente Health and Wellness Collection
- Heritage Pavilion: Genealogy & Local History Collections
- City Lights Café/Coffee Bar
- Friends of the Library Bookstore
- Public meeting and group study rooms
- Assistive listening devices in public meeting rooms

Community Programs

- Read Santa Clara Adult Literacy Program
- Families for Literacy Program
- Even Start Family Literacy Program (a Partnership with the Santa Clara Unified School District)
- Santa Clara County Historical & Genealogical Society meetings and speakers
- “The Writer Speaks” author readings and discussion
- Foundation and Friends of Santa Clara City Library
- Outreach program for homebound
- Book Discussion Groups/Senior Book Chat
- Baby Lapsits, Toddler, Preschool and Family Storytimes
- Children’s book discussion programs
- Summer Reading Club and programs
- Teen volunteer program
- Volunteer opportunities
- Library catalog classes
- Basic and special Internet classes
- Adult programs

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